

Chambers of Senior Judge John C. Shabaz

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John C. Shabaz
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1931
Education: Marquette 1957 LLB; Wisconsin 1999 BS
Began Service: January 20, 2009
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Current Memberships: Dane County Bar Association; State Bar of Wisconsin

Staff

Secretary **Melissa Hardin** (608) 264-5504

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Number of Judgeships: 3

Number of Vacancies: 1

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William F. Downes
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: North Texas 1968 BA; Houston 1974 JD
Began Service: June 23, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Legal Practice: Associate and Partner, Clark and Downes (1975-1978); Associate and Partner, Brown and Drew (1978-1994)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps (1968-1971)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; Natrona County Bar Association; Wyoming Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Stephen Oertle** (307) 232-2600
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Alan B. Johnson
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Vanderbilt 1961 BA; Wyoming 1964 JD
Began Service: 1986
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Affiliation: Member, Chambers of Member Alan B. Johnson, Judicial Conference of the United States

Judicial: Magistrate Judge (part-time), United States District Court for the District of Wyoming (1971-1975); Part-Time Judge, Cheyenne Municipal Court (1972); Judge, Wyoming District Court, Fifth Judicial District (1974-1986)

Legal Practice: Paul B. Godfrey (1968-1971); Hanes, Carmichael, Johnson, Gage & Speight, PC (1971-1974)

Military Service: Judge Advocate, United States Air Force (1964-1967); Col, Wyoming Air National Guard, United States Department of Defense (1973-1992)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Laramie County Bar Association; Wyoming Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Meghan Morrissey** (307) 433-2172
Began Service: 2008
Term Expires: 2009
Law Clerk **Sherrill Veal** (307) 433-2173
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Education: Wyoming 1984 JD

Chambers of Senior Judge Clarence A. Brimmer

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Clarence A. Brimmer
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1922
Education: Michigan 1944 BA, 1947 JD
Began Service: September 26, 1975
Appointed By: President Gerald Ford
Political Affiliation: Republican

Affiliation: Member, American Bar Association

Government: Attorney General, State of Wyoming (1971-1974); United States Attorney, District of Wyoming, United States Department of Justice (1975)

Judicial: Judge, Municipal Court (1948-1954); District Judge, United States District Court for the District of Wyoming (1975-2006)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1948-1971)

Military Service: United States Army Air Corps (1945-1946)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Wyoming Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Elisa M. Butler** (307) 433-2160
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Term Expires: August 2009
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Career Law Clerk **Lilly Sharpe** (307) 433-2160
Court Reporter **Jan Davis** (307) 635-3884
Secretary **Jan Wilson** (307) 433-2160

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William C. Beaman
Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Arizona State 1967 BA; Wyoming 1971 JD
Began Service: 1975

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Laramie County Bar Association; Wyoming Bar Association; Wyoming Trial Lawyers Association

Staff

Judicial Assistant/Legal Assistant **Debra Birge** (307) 433-2180

Chambers of Magistrate Judge Stephen E. Cole

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Stephen E. Cole
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Wyoming 1969 BA, 1974 JD
Began Service: February 1975
Term Expires: August 2014

Judicial: Judge, Worland Municipal Court (1975-1981); Judge, Ten Sleep Municipal Court (1977-1981); Justice of the Peace, Washakie County Justice Court (1977-1981)

Legal Practice: Private Practice

Current Memberships: Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Wyoming Bar Association

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Maya Russell** (307) 232-2604
Judicial Assistant **Beth Vachon** (307) 344-2569

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) Karen Marty

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Karen Marty

Magistrate Judge (Part-Time)

Affiliation: Member, Sweetwater County Bar Association; Attorney, Marty Law Office; Member, Wyoming Bar Association; Member, American Bar Association

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Sweetwater County Bar Association; Wyoming Bar Association

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) James K. Lubing

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James K. "Jim" Lubing
Magistrate Judge (Part-Time)

Education: Wisconsin (Oshkosh) 1979 BS; Hamline 1984 JD
Began Service: 2004
Term Expires: 2012

Affiliation: Attorney, James K. Lubing Law Offices; Member, Wyoming Bar Association; Member, State Bar of Montana

Current Memberships: State Bar of Montana; Wyoming Bar Association

Staff

Deputy Clerk **Tina O'Connor** (307) 733-4126

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) R. Michael Shickich

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R. Michael Shickich
Magistrate Judge (Part-Time)

Education: Oberlin 1978 BS; Denver 1985 JD
Began Service: January 23, 2004
Term Expires: January 23, 2012

Affiliation: Attorney, Law Office of R. Michael Shickich

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) Teresa M. McKee

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Teresa M. McKee
Magistrate Judge (Part-Time)

Began Service: July 2006
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Affiliation: Attorney, McKee Law Office

Staff

Judicial Assistant **Karen Gaymen** (307) 332-9406
Began Service: 2009

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